

THE BALL.

THE CHILDREN'S MASQUERADE.

The Little Folks Have a Glorious Time.

The little folks had a great time Saturday night at their masquerade ball. The weather was fine and the attendance was very large. Although the admittance was only 25cts. more than \$50 was taken in at the door. Some of the costumes were exceedingly pretty and all were attractive. The list of the little folks who were masked and the characters they represented is as follows:

George Herder—Uncle Sam.
Hettie Herder—Shiner Gazette.
Annie Herder—Shepherdess.
Ella Herder—Queen.
George Seydler—Rooster.
Hettie Seydler—Goddess of Liberty.

Minnie Deutsch—Butterfly.
Stevie Holchak—Clown.
Max Holchak—Klondyke.
Peck Welhausen and Sophia Amsler—Uncle Sam and Columbia.
Tina Dickson—Colored Dude.
Lestie Merrean—Just from the Old Country.

Arthur Eschenburg—Peanut girl.

Willie Wendtland—Grandmother.
Lizzie Wendtland—Shiner Gazette.

Hillie Wendtland and Agnes Stuerke—Chinese.

Selma Jungbocker—Rose.
Ed Werner and Alma Werner—Tyroleans.

Edith Kruegar—Choir girl.
Adale Kruegar—Italian.

Ida Helmers—Japanese.
Tillie Wolters and Mollie Saettler—Old Ladies.

Natalie Trautwein—Alphabet.
Hilda Trautwein—Little Red Riding Hood.

Gussie Wolters—Cigarettes.
Lottie Rhodes—Starlight.

Susie Rhodes—Flower girl.
Annie Heilmann—School girl.

Alfred Schram and Lillie Stuerke—Firemen's band.

Cleo Dickson—Cupid.
Ella Helmers—Alphabet.

Clara Flato—Chaussonette.
Lillie Saettler and Louis Saettler—Sailors.

Louie Wendtland—Indian.
Victor Wolters—Dominoes.

Edgar Wolters—Santa Claus.
Bettie Stephan—Fly girl.

Victor Flato—Clown.
Ferdie Flato—Domino.

Eddie Ondrej—Newsboy.
Henry Ondrej—Chimney sweep.

Willie Huebner—Baker.
Walter Richter—Candy man.

Maurice Kruegar—School girl.
Arthur Thornton—Clown.

Ad. Richter—Baby.
Annie Valenta—Flower girl.

Eddie Valenta—Baker.
Rudolph Valenta—Colored man.

Freddie Valenta—Soldier.

This list was carefully made up and if there are any mistakes or omissions we will gladly make corrections.

The judges were Adolph Boldt of Houston, C. J. Gray and C. B. Welhausen, and Mrs. E. J. Wangerman, Mrs. A. Moeller and Mrs. F. T. Mitchell.

There were so many costumes of merit that they were at a loss to decide which were the best, but finally made out the following list:

1st. prize—Cupid, Cleo Dickson.
2nd. prize—Shiner Gazette, Lillie Wendtland.

3rd. prize—Butterfly, Minnie Deutsch.

4th. prize—Uncle Sam, Peck Welhausen.

5th. prize—Columbia, Sophia Amsler.

6th. prize—Fly girl, Bettie Stephan.

7th. prize—Santa Claus, Edgar Wolters.

8th. prize—Rooster, George Seydler.

9th. prize—Goddess of Liberty, Hettie Seydler.

These prizes were awarded about 10:30, after which the little folks began to start home, weary and sleepy but happy.

Postmaster Jones and Silas Hampill were present from Moulton, and Otto Wegener from Dryer.

Geshard Sieme made a business trip to Flaton Sunday.

Frank Hodenek and Frank Dolysee are still endeavoring to get up the electric light system for Flaton. They are meeting with much encouragement and will no doubt succeed. They are worthy young men and the GAZETTE wishes them success.



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